



St. Charles Catholic School
Wednesday Newsletter

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One sentence sermon: Prayer – He who kneels before God can stand before anyone!

PRINCIPAL'S DESK...

Breakfast with Santa is looking for someone to play Santa. If they do not find anyone for this important role, they will have to cancel this function. Please contact Jen Ostermann at 369-0318.

On Friday, December 12, Mad Science will be performing a short program for 5K - 5th Grade. This is to introduce the students to a proposed after school program. The sessions will be held on Wednesdays beginning January 14 – February 18 (if numbers permit). Please see the enclosed flyer if you would like to register your child.

School Principal
Doug Dunlop

OFFICE NOTES/REMINDERS

WebGrader for Parents

If parents lose their child's username and password, they must come to the office and ask for the information again.

*****Passwords will not be given out via e-mail, over the phone or to students!!!*****

If you need to send the teacher a note:

From the WebNotes menu, select Inbox Subject column to read the WebNotes.

Click the Compose button to write a WebNote to your child's teacher. You can set up your inbox to forward WebNotes to your e-mail address. From the Options menu select E-mail Address. Click the checkbox and enter your e-mail address. Click **Save**.

Grades will be updated approximately midmonth and the end of the month.

Larger projects may take more time for grades to be entered.

If you do not have your password, please come to the school office to pick it up.

COLD WEATHER TIME OF YEAR

Parents remember to dress the kids according to the weather conditions. The students will go out for recess everyday. Please put their name inside of their apparel.

School Closing

If we have inclement weather, watch the local television stations and/or listen to the AM radio stations.
We always follow the Arrowhead school district closings.

CHRISTMAS CRAFTS

Please remember to bring in Christmas crafts for the Dec. 19 Spirit Party. We still in need of the following items: clean tin cans, artificial evergreen trimmings, toilet paper rolls, juice can lids, buttons, pinecones, and clay pots.

COMMITTEE NEWS/Fundraising

MAGAZINE DRIVE - ADDITIONAL CONTEST

Keep selling those magazine subscriptions and renewals!

There will be a second contest for a CRUSADER Dry Mesh jacket from Spiritwear. Be the student who sells the most online orders between now and January 31st and you could be the winner. It's easy to order online and magazines subscriptions make great gifts for Christmas! Just go to www.QSP.com and use the school finder to locate St. Charles School, Hartland WI - 425015622.

SCRIP ORDERS

Holiday gift cards for many retailers are available through our SCRIP program. The cards can be given as gifts or used to purchase gifts. Also, some stores offer special bonus percentages back to our school during the Christmas season - so you get your shopping done and St. Charles School benefits!

Paper orders due to School Office by NOON <Friday, Dec. 5>

Either email order to scripforschool@msn.com or ShopWithScrip by 5PM <Sunday, Dec. 7>

Pick Up on Thursday, December 11, 2008 after school.

Go online to shopwithscrip.com to place your order and use enrollment code 8F6L51D1476L

- There will only be 1 more opportunity to order your SCRIP through the school before Christmas.



BREAKFAST WITH SANTA -- WE NEED YOUR HELP!!!

**We are looking for an individual to play Santa.
If we can't find someone, we will have to cancel!!**

Saturday, December 13, 2008

Registration forms are available.

Many volunteers are needed to make this breakfast a success.

A list requesting donations of syrup, applesauce and orange juice is included in this week's envelope.

Please contact us with any questions: Jennifer Ostermann 369-0318 or Kristin Iverson 367-4481.

STUDENT COUNCIL

Dress Down Day - December 4, 2008

CIRCLE OF LOVE TREE

We will be collecting money for the purchase of a gift request from the Circle of Love Tree in the Parish.

We would like to give the gift of gift certificates to a person in need this Christmas.

Please send a monetary donation to school with your child if they are going to participate with dressing down. Thanks for all your support.

We would like to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas from all of your Student Council members.

NEWS, ANNOUNCEMENTS & UPCOMING EVENTS

St. Charles School Christmas Concert 2008 – The Magic of Christmas

(See Enclosed Flyer from Ms. Pencak)

December 11th, 2008 at 6:30 p.m. – Recreation Center

Home and School will be furnishing refreshments/snacks following concert in Borromeo Room.

“Stars of our Hearts”

Auction -- February 21, 2009

The Auction is just around the corner – remember to save the date!!

Crusader News

JEFF EAVES’ MEMORIAL BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

Congratulations to the following teams:

7th Grade Girls – 2nd Place

5th Grade Girls – 2nd Place

5th Grade Boys – 2nd Place

Miscellaneous

1ST QUARTER HONOR ROLL STUDENT ADDITIONS:

Congratulation to Matt Grolemond and Jackie Dubnicka making High Honors.

Congratulations to George Dannenfelser who made Honors

Merton Area Running Club

Join us at Endter’s Sports Grill Sunday, Dec. 7 (Noon – 10:00 p.m.)

- Send-off our Junior Olympic Cross Country National Qualifiers Ben Bierman and Travis Ritzert
 - Enjoy watching the Packer game
 - See flyer for more information by school office

Parish News

The Christmas Sitters Babysitting Program

Tues. December 9, 2008 – 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

This is a free new program at St. Charles which provides a safe environment for parents to leave their children for a few hours while they attend to their Christmas shopping. Please see the flyer located by the school office for additional information.

CYM Basketball Sign Up is happening now.

Please contact the parish office for details, 262-367-0800.